GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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SPRINKLER IRRIGATION SYSTEM
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are encouraging sprinkler irrigation system;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether its initial cost is very high for farmers to afford;

(d) if so, whether any assistance is being provided by the Government in this regard; and

(e) if so, the details of financial assistance released for the Sprinkler irrigation programme during 2002-2003 in the country, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a)&(b): Yes, Sir. The Government is encouraging the farmers for installing sprinkler irrigation system through the following schemes:-

1. Macro Management in Agriculture − Supplementation/Complementation of State Effortsthrough Work Plan. Under this scheme the State Governments can take up various developmental activities including installation of sprinkler irrigation as per their felt needs and requirement.

2. Technology Mission on Oilseeds & Pulses.

3. Technology Mission on Cotton.

(c)&(d): In order to meet the high cost of the system the Government is providing a maximum assistance of 50% of the cost of the system to Small, Marginal, Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe farmers and 33% of the cost to other category farmers.

(e): The State-wise details of assistance provided under different schemes during 2002-03 is given as the statement at Annexure-I.

Annexure-I

State-wise details of release of funds under different schemes during 2002-03

S.No.	States	Macro Management (whole Scheme) Develo- pment Prog- ramme	TMOP Pulses	TMOP Oilseeds Production Programme
1	Andhra Pradesh	1900.00	25.00	760.00
2	Arunachal Pr	463.00	5.00	15.00
3	Assam	350.00	15.00	110.00
4	Bihar	1250.00	0.00	0.00
5	Jharkhand	600.00	2.50	5.00
6	Goa	162.00	1.00	3.00
7	Gujarat	1600.00	50.00	615.00
8	Haryana	1600.00	10.00	130.00
9	Himachal Pr	1600.00	2.50	15.05
10	Jammu & Kashmir	1932.00	4.50	5.00
11	Karnataka	5338.00	67.00	456.95
12	Kerala	2762.00	4.00	25.00
13	Madhya Pradesh	4350.00	132.50	675.00
14	Chhattisgarh	1138.00	45.00	70.00

15 Maharashtra 7612.00 147.00 575.00
16 Manipur 300.00 40.00 72.00
17 Mizoram 810.00 51.00 79.00
18 Meghalaya 701.00 15.00 24.00
19 Nagaland 660.00 37.00 90.00
20 Orissa 1250.00 10.00 25.00
21 Punjab 850.00 0.00 0.00
22 Rajasthan 6700.00 254.00 815.00
23 Sikkim 330.00 10.00 50.00
24 Tamil Nadu 3360.00 93.00 420.00
25 Tripura 900.00 37.00 60.00
26 Uttar Pradesh 6885.00 68.00 100.00
27 Uttaranchal 1290.00 4.50 25.00
28 West Bengal 1427.00 4.50 95.00
29 Chandigarh 0.00 0.00 0.00
30 D & N Haveli 100.00 0.00 0.00
31 Delhi 80.00 1.00 0.00
32 Lakshdweep 100.00 0.00 0.00
33 Pondicherry 100.00 0.00 0.00
34 Daman Diu 0.00 0.00 0.00
35 A & Nicobar 100.00 0.50 0.00
Total 58600.00 1136.50 5315.00